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thickness of each said internal ceramic layer is 0.10 to 0.40; and

(4) the ratio of the combined volume of said internal electrodes to the combined volume of said ceramic element is 0.10 to 0.30. --

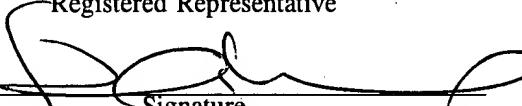
REMARKS

Claims 2 and 3 have been added to more fully claim Applicant's invention.

Consideration and allowance of the application are earnestly solicited.

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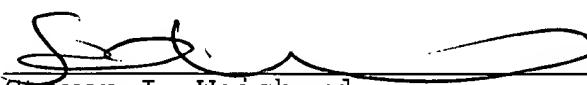
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